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THE ROSE CARNIVAL.

Beautiful Booth Decorations, Grand Street Parade, Flowers By the Million.

The largest crowd of people ever known to assemble in San Jose came together in the immense pavilion at Agricultural park last Wednesday morning to witness the opening of the grand Santa Clara County Carnival of Roses. It is estimated that fully 10,000 people gained admittance to the building while many hundreds thronged the streets about the entrance unable to get in. The opening ceremonies were carried out in a manner most befitting to the grand occasion. The Queen, Miss Lillian Rea, accompanied by her Prime Minister, H. V. Morehouse, twelve maids of Honor, four flower girls and two pages, ascended her throne at about 10:30. The opening speech was delivered by Hon. A. D. Murphy, after which District Attorney B. A. Harrington with an appropriate address, conducted the ceremony of crowning the queen, which brought forth a storm of applause from the assembled host. A beautiful poem entitled "Carnival of Roses," composed by a Sister at Notre Dame Convent, was recited by Miss Adele Plank. Lieutenant Governor William T. Jeter followed with a short but interesting speech, after which the principal speaker of the day, Pres. David Starr Jorden of Stanford University was introduced. Mr. Jordan gave a glowing tribute to Santa Clara valley and to the queen of the Carnival, speaking of the former as being but a step from heaven and the latter as "a fair and lovely queen whose reign would be an era of happiness." Music for the occasion was furnished by Roncovieri's Band and a choir of 500 trained voices under the direction of Professor J. H. Elwood.

THE PARADE.

The parade which was to have started at 2 o'clock was longer forming than was anticipated. The first division, however, reached the judges' stand opposite the court house at 3 o'clock and for two hours the works of art, beautiful and grand in character, continued to bewilder the minds of those chosen to award the prizes. It is little wonder that the prize-giving proved somewhat unsatisfactory, as justice could hardly be done without serving all alike, the beautiful designs being all so well carried out and so superb in character.

The prizes consisted of satin banners, a white one being for the first prize, a blue one for the second, and a red banner for the third prize. The following was the report of the prize committees:

Cities and towns—First, Santa Clara; Second, Willow Glen; Third, Palo Alto.

Coaches and Four-in-Hands—First, C. A. Baldwin of San Francisco; second Miss Hubbard.

Colleges—First, University of the Pacific; second Notre Dame.

Double Teams—First Misses Clark; second L. Arguello.

Tandems—Fred Ross, Miss Greeninger.

Phaetons—Miss Hoffman, Redwood city; Pettie Pfister, Santa Clara.

Children's rig—Children of James Robinson, Clifford Langford and Ethel Gray.

General prize for the best and most artistic design—Santa Clara Floral Society.

Special mention for originality of design—Alviso steamer.

Societies—First, San Jose Parlor, Native Sons, San Jose; second, San Jose Woman's Club.

Public schools—First, Horace Mann; second, High; third, Grant; special banner, Longfellow.

County schools—First, Hester; second, Gardner; third, East San Jose.

The parade was by far the largest and grandest thing of the kind which has ever taken place in Santa Clara county and it is claimed by many who have seen similar exhibitions elsewhere. that no city on the coast has ever equaled it. An idea of the beauty of many of the floats can possible be conveyed in no better terms than to describe them as "dreams of fairyland," beautiful beyond discription. Millions of flowers were used in their construction, and these were fashioned into every conceivable design.

Our space will permit mention of only a few striking features of the parade. The queen's float, which came near the head of the procession, was of most beautiful design and bore the Queen in a most costly and elegant costume, the Prime Minister and Maids of Honor. Four troops of U. S. cavalry called forth great admiration as they rode twelve abreast in the must perfect order. The Santa Clara float drawn by twelve white horses was one of the most elaborate in the parade. Forty thousand roses were used to decorate the float and it justly deserved the prize which it received. The queen of Flora was represented in a golden chariot drawn by six gauzy butterflies.

The float of Horace Mann school representing the "Merry Month of May" was greatly applauded all along the line as a number of boys and girls dressed in beautiful costume danced about the May pole.

The Alviso float attracted, perhaps, as much attention as any float in the line. A perfect model of a steamer thirty feet long and fifteen feet wide covered with beautiful flowers glided through the streets seemingly with no other means of navigation than the revolving wheel at the stern. A team of horses concealed within the boat was, however, accountable for its movements.

The Float of the University of the Pacific which received the prize for colleges was of most artistic design representing the Parthenon with its broken columns and Apollo and the Muses on Mount Parnassus.

Saratoga was represented by a beautifully decorated trolly car suggestive of the San Jose and Saratoga railway enterprize.

Not the least among the beautiful and artistic representations was the float of the town of Campbell. Though receiving no prize there was no design more faithfully carried out than ours. A perfect model of a camel covered with white roses and gay trappings of velvet and gold, the beautiful oriental queen under a gauzy canopy, the pages in oriental costume, the six black horses covered with white netting all combined to make the representation a most striking one. The queen was represented by Lena Swope and the pages were: Royal Turney, James Wells, Henry Young, Henry Angwin, Charles Cooper and Dudley Moulton. Warren McKenzie stood on the float and held the bridle of the camel.

In addition to the floats and other features mentioned above there were hundreds of school children in line, the fraternal societies of San Jose represented by large numbers of their members many of them in uniform, six or seven brass bands and several drum corps filled the air with music, many handsomely decorated private carriages and other attractions too numerous to mention.

THE BOOTHS AT THE PAVILION.

The scene at the pavilion during the Carnival has been most beautiful and interesting. The building is decorated with flags, bunting, streamers and evergreens throughout. The booths of which there are sixteen representing as many towns and societies are each most tastefully arranged and include many unique and original designs.

The Mountain View booth contains among other fine floral decorations a Ferris wheel nine and a half feet in diameter trimmed with smilax with sixteen baskets of sweet peas and roses to represent cars.

The Alviso booth contains a very prettily decorated floral ship among its attractions.

The Berryessa booth is a very realistic representation of a section of Alum Rock park. The rocks and general rustic appearance of the vicinity of the falls are all there and the falls themselves with water falling twelve or fifteen feet is faithfully represented.

The Campbell booth contains the rose camel which was transferred from the float to the pavilion, beautiful flower pieces, and decorations of ferns, callas, etc., all making a beautiful effect.

The other places represented are: San Jose, Madrone, Los Gatos, Lawrence, Palo Alto, Santa Clara, Mayfield, Gilroy, Union District and Evergreen.

Railway Time Table.

GOING NORTH.

7:12 A. M., daily, to San Jose only (mixed frt. & pasgr.)

7:45 A. M., daily, to San Francisco and way stations.

9:06 A. M., daily, except Sunday, to San Francisco and way stations.

10:30 A. M., daily, except Sunday, freight.

3:29 P. M., daily, to San Francisco and way stations.

5:50 P. M., Sundays only, to San Francisco and way stations.

GOING SOUTH.

9:50 A. M., Sundays only, Santa Cruz and way stations.

10:30 A. M., daily, to Santa Cruz and way stations.

1:15 P. M., daily, except Sunday, freight.

4:30 P. M., daily, except Sunday, to Santa Cruz and way stations.

5:25 P. M., daily, to Almaden.

6:30 P. M. daily, to Los Gatos.

POSTOFFICE.

MAILS LEAVE post office for San Francisco, San Jose, Northern and Southern California and the East at 8:50 A. M. and 3:15 P. M. For all the above mentioned points except San Jose at 7:40 A. M. For Santa Cruz, Felton, Wrights, and Alma at 10:15 A.M.

MAILS ARRIVE at Postoffice from San Francisco, San Jose, Northern and Southern California, and the East at 10:35 A. M. and 4:40 P. M. From all the above mentioned points except San Jose at 6:35 P, M. From Santa Cruz, Wrights, and Felton at 3:35 P. M, Office open Sundays from 10 to 11 A. M.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Personal Mention--Brief News Items of All Sorts.

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Miss Rilla Sherman is visiting the family of E. N. Parr.

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Mrs. E. N. Parr returned from a short visit to Hollister on Sunday last.

J. S. Kennison recently from Iowa is visiting the family of O. N. Bagwill.

Paints, Oils and Glass, also all grades of Wall Paper at Whitman's Hardware.

Mrs. M. Horton spent the past week visiting her daughter Miss A. Horton.

A party of Campbellites expected to start for Capitola today on a camping trip.

Chas. Sutter has been building an addition to his establishment opposite the post office.

Miss Sharai, and Mr. Horace Horton of Haywards, are guests of J. M. Field and family.

Plymouth Rock and White Leghorn eggs for sale, 13 for $1.00 Enquire at VISITOR office.

Zard Bagwill and family returned from Iowa on Monday and will probably remain in our midst.

CARNIVAL PHOTOGRAPHS—Call at the Visitor Gallery for views of floats etc., at the Rose Carnival.

The Campbell Band participated in the grand Carnival parade—all reports to the contrary notwithstanding.

J. F. Wehmeyer has enlarged the capacity of his blacksmith and wagon shop with an addition on the rear.

Our town has been unusually quite the past week owing to the attendance of many of our citizens at the Carnival.

For storage of any discriptions apply to Campbell Fruit Growers Union. Fire proof warehouse. Terms reasonable.

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SOCIETIES.

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MORNING LIGHT LODGE, No. 42, I. O. O. F., meets every Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Willett Building. Sojourning brothers are cordially invited to attend.
H. R. WADE, Sec'y. GEO. WHITNEY, N. G.

COURT LOMA PRIETA, No. 145, F. of A. Meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o,clock in I. O. O. Hall, Willett Building. Sojourning brothers are cordially invited to attend.
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ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

Dime social at the Congregational Church Tuesday evening. Every body invited.

The town of Campbell adjourned to San Jose on Wednesday to witness the great Rose Carnival parade.

Rev. Dennett of Los Gatos, will preach at the M. E. church Sunday morning.

But a few slight accidents occurred during the parade in San Jose on Wednesday. That there were no serious mishaps is quite remarkable considering the immense crowd on the street.

A horseless carriage was seen on the streets in San Jose the past week.

Burglaries were numerous about the county during the past week. Santa Clara seems to have suffered most from their depredations.

Roses, Carnations, Fuchias Begonias, Heliotropes, Umbrella plants etc., etc., (potted) 10cts and upwards at Cal. Gem Nursery. Visitors welcome.

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The Campbell booth at the Rose Carnival was in charge of Mesdames Black, Foote, Righter, Call, Parr and Ainsley. These ladies succeeded well with their work and the fact that our town was given a most creditable representation at the pavilion is entirely due to their energy and perseverance.

At the suggestion of some of the committee in charge of the Campbell float, Mr. Berry telegraphed for a permit to send the float to San Jose on a flat car on Monday last. Word was received yesterday that the permit would be sent at once and probably arrived by mail today,—just three days after the parade took place.

The genuine LATEST IMPROVED BLAINE LADDERS are put up only at the factory on Hamilton avenue near Campbell. They are now better than ever, yet sold at hard times prices; kept in stock, 8, 10, 12, and 14ft., 25cts., per foot. Longer ladders, made to order, 30cts., per foot. Shipped anywhere on receipt of price. J. BLAINE,
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A number of views of Campbell and vicinity were furnished by the VISITOR Photograph Gallery for the Campbell booth at the Carnival. The collection was not as complete, however, as we expected to make it. Owing to the stormy weather just preceeding the opening of the Carnival many places which would have added much to the display could not be taken.

Col. S. F. Cooper's horse broke lose from the post to which it was tied in front of the bank yesterday afternoon and took a lively pace up Central avenue. At the Congregational church it ran through the open gate and into the back part of the lot where the buggy struck a post and brought the horse to a stop. The only damage done was the breaking of a shaft.

The Annual Meeting of the stockholders of Campbell Fruit Growers' Union will occur at its office next Wednesday, the 13th inst. at 10 o'clock a. m. A notice of this meeting will be found in this and last week's issues. It will be observed that the stockholders are urged to be present if possible. The dinner is not only a fixed feature but also a good feature as the business of the meeting need not be interfered with on account of stockholders going home to dinner. We think the stockholders have acted wisely in ordering themselves an annual dinner.

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NON-PARTIZAN VIEWS.

[By E. Janes.]

WILL WAR EVER CEASE?

Many recent orators, poets, philosophers and religious teachers have dwelt upon the frightful contradiction between the professed principles of our civilized, so-called Christian, nations and the facts of war. Yet very little effect seems to have been produced upon governments or upon the course of events. It is but a few years since Europe was devastated by a colossal struggle, and the great nations are now spending a vast amount of energy in preparing for a similar one.

Now, occasional combats with savage or barbarous peoples may be merely incidents in the upward progress of the race. But war between great, civilized, industrial nations is felt to be a strange anomaly, a peculiarly inexcusable combination of crimes. Is there no hope, then, that this kind of war, at least, may soon cease from the earth?

The ordinary views of the subject afford little prospect of improvement. Peace societies meet to resolve and present addresses, but with no practical effect. Arbitration is loudly called for in some quarters, as a cure for war,—but obviously arbitration depends on the sanctity of treaties, and treaties are quite too easily broken to form a good barrier against the fiery passions of human nature, when wrought up to the war-pitch of excitement, and when the teachings of philosophy and religion and the warnings of prudence have failed.

There is, however, another realm of powers and influences whose full force has not yet been brought into action,—the realm of economic and industrial principles. The unbounded expensiveness of modern warfare seems likely to do more toward restraining the warlike spirit than all other considerations.

War can no longer be made to pay for itself, as in the days of Napoleon. It cannot be carried on with any hope of success, except with long and expensive preparation. Modern instruments of war are so costly and armies are now so vast, that the resources of the richest nation are severely tested before a blow is struck. All the governments of Europe are deeply in debt, with bankruptcy staring them in the face. The United States, though not in debt, is quite as badly off through reckless expenditure and mismanagement.

It is not probable that any one of them can borrow enough money to even begin a great struggle with a nation of equal force. It would seem that no such war can be begun in the future without the consent of the money-lenders. And the great contest of 1870 showed the risks of such a war so clearly that they will be backward about lending for such a purpose

The commercial and industrial interests of the modern advanced nations are so complicated and so prevading that even a rumor of war is enough to throw industry and finance into such confusion that money cannot be raised either by taxation or borrowing, and a great army cannot be equipped and supported.

It will certainly be a very curious result of modern industrialism, if it shall put an end to wars between the great advanced, civilized nations. To set forth in detail the grounds of this new hope for progress in civilization would require more space than is at my command.

To Orchardists.

FELLOW FRUIT GROWERS: Having devoted a large share of my time for the past four years to the study of the requirements of a standard fruit ladder I am sure that, on trial of those I am now putting up, you will indorse the opinion of my numerous costomers that the LATEST IMPROVED BLAINE LADDER is emphatically "THE BEST IN USE."

I am well aware that, each year, new styles of ladders are put upon the market, and I am also aware that most of them are found wanting in some essential qualities and hence soon run their race. I am pursuaded that this results from the fact that the manufacturers are either mechanics who are not orchardists or orchardists who are not mechanics; their product lacking, in the former case in adaptation, and in the latter case in mechanical construction. Having had experience both on the ranch and in the shop. I have greatly the advantage of such manufacturers. But in no respect has my four years experience helped me more than in judging of the quality of lumber, on sight. In this respect, alone, one of my ladders now put up is worth two of those put up at first. Having arrangements by which I secure the choicest first clear lumber from the best cargoes brought to San Jose, I am sure no other ladder maker is competing with me in this regard. With all the improvements made I am now selling at prices in accord with the stringency of money matters. Please see advertisement in this issue, and give the LATEST IMPROVED BLAINE LADDER a trial.

Respectfully,

J. BLAINE.

Campbell, Cal.

Notice of Annual Meeting of Stockholders.

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of Campbell Fruit Growers' Union, a corporation, will be held at its place of business in Campbell, California, on Wednesday, May 13, 1896, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the following purposes: First, to receive the report of the Officers: Second, to elect a Board of Directors; Third, to make such changes or amendments in the By-Laws as may be deemed wise; Fourth, to transact any and all other business that may properly come before that meeting.

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Cambrian Picnic.

The Cambrian Literary and Social Club celebrated May Day with the vim and spirit that is characteristic of that society. A representative of the VISITOR located the scene of festivities at about 1:30 P. M. and immediately set about investigating the truth of the report that "fun was let loose." The committee on entertainment had secured a hall at Lexington and, owing to the inclemency of the weather, the picnic was confined principally to indoor amusements. During the afternoon the time was spent in dancing, eating ice cream and social conversation. A few "side issues" served to relieve the monotony when the other amusements became tiresome. One of the boys was persuaded to make faces at the girls thus making fun for the rest of the crowd. Two more engaged in a friendly contest in manipulating lemons with a teaspoon. The U. T. D. Male Quartette gave a selection. Geo. Davis rendered some well appreciated vocal selections with banjo accompaniment.

After dancing a short time in the evening the party returned home well pleased with their day's outing. Not so with the proprietor of the hall for it is reported that he had laid in an extra supply of liquors at his hotel near by expecting to do a rushing business among the picnicers. He misjudged the party, however, and was heard complaining that he had not sold ten cents worth to the whole party.

A Painful Accident.

James Barton met with quite a painful accident on Tuesday last while on his way to San Jose. He started in with Roy Watson taking a seat in the back of the grocery wagon on a large gasoline can. At Jas. Dorety's place on the Infirmary road Mr. Watson turned his team into the road which leads to the house and as he did so Mr. Barton lost his balance and fell heavily to the ground striking on his right side and dislocating his shoulder. The injured man was taken to the home of his sister in San Jose and it will probably be several days before he is about again.

W. C. T. U. COLUMN.

The members of the W. C. T. U. of Campbell cordially invite a perusal of this column the matter for which is furnished by members of the society.

Take Your Choice.

To multitudes total abstinence would make all the difference between health and disease, self-respect and self-loathing, noble manhood and a doom worse than the gallows; between a home that is bright and clean and a lair of filth and squalor; between domestic happiness and the fire of hell bursting upward from the earth; between the life of a human being with God's image upon him and the life of a pig with his nose in the swine trough; between honor and uprightness and the dirty slovenliness and terrible torture of a drunkard's shame; between childhood and brightness, a youth of strength, a manhood of honor, an age of peace and a childhood that is cankered, a boyhood that is polluted, a manhood that wears that hangdog look of infamy, and the work-house deathbed and the pauper grave.

To all those who are young I, as an elder, would say: Take your choice between what certainly would be for most of you the difference between the river of the water of life, pure as crystal, and the blasting cup which the visage quite transforms of him who drinks and the inglorious likeness of a beast fixes instead, unmolding reason's image, self-charactered in the face. —*Archdeacon Farrar.*

Church Notices.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

Preaching, Sunday at - - 11 a. m.
Sunday School - - 12 m.
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Twelfth Century Tablecloths.

In the twelfth century the tablecloths were very large and were always laid on the table double. For a long time they were called "doublers" for that reason. The cloth was first placed so as to touch the floor on the side of the table at which the guests sat. Then all the cloth that remained was folded so that it just covered the table.

Charles V had 67 tablecloths which were from 15 to 20 yards long and 2 yards wide. He had one cloth which was 32 yards long, and that had the arms of France embroidered on it in silk. All of these were fringed.

In the sixteenth century "doublers," or double cloths, were replaced by two tablecloths, one of which was small and was laid just as we lay ours today.

The other, which was put on over it, was large and of beautifully figured linen. It was skillfully folded in such a way that, as a book of that time says, "it resembled a winding river, gently ruffled by a little breeze, for among very many little folds were here and there great bubbles."

It must have required much art and care to make dishes, plates, saltcellars, sauce dishes and glasses stand steadily in the midst of this undulating sea and among those "bubbles" and puffy folds.

However, the fashion had only a short existence, as is apt to be the case with unpractical fashions, and toward the latter part of the century a single cloth, laid flat and touching the floor on all sides of the table, came into general use.—Youth's Companion.

Women Sit on the Right Side.

"Have you ever noticed," said a man about town, "that nine women out of ten when they enter a street car invariably take a seat on the right hand side of the car? I have frequently wondered at it, and a solution of the mystery did not occur to me until a few nights ago. I boarded a Girard avenue car which was entirely empty, and sat down in the forward left hand corner. At the next crossing a woman got aboard and sat down opposite me. At the next street two more women got in and took seats alongside of the first. After a time there were seven women in the car, all sitting in a row, leaving me to enjoy alone the comforts of the left hand seats. Then three men jumped aboard and sat down on my side. Finally another woman joined us, and instead of taking a vacant seat near the door on the 'ladies' side' she walked the entire length of the car and sat down alongside of me. This eccentricity on her part impelled me to watch her more closely than good manners possibly warranted, but I solved the mystery to my satisfaction. She paid the conductor with her left hand! She was left handed. See? And all the women on the other side were right handed of course. Fact!"—Philadelphia Record.

The Dear Old Lady's Mistake.

Old Mr. and Mrs. Shuman from Bryan went to town, and in going to the hotel for dinner saw a crowd around the justice court. The old couple, with pardonable curiosity, inquired the cause of the gathering. They were informed that a man was on trial for beating his wife. Edging their way through the bystanders to get a look at the prisoner, the old lady whispered to her husband:

"What a murderous looking creature the prisoner is! I'd be afraid to get near him."

"Hush!" warned her husband. "That isn't the prisoner; he hasn't been brought in yet."

"It isn't? Who is it, then?"

"It's the judge!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Leighton's Generosity.

The following story is characteristic of Lord Leighton's kindness to poor students: A young fellow, without friends or money, came to London to make his fortune with his brush. Orders for pictures were not forthcoming, however, and the young painter found himself reduced to dining on sunset effects. In despair he wrote to the president of the academy at his private address in Holland Park, stating his case, and forwarding at the same time some specimens of his work. Within a few days he received an answer, asking him to call at Sir Frederick's house. The president of the academy received him kindly, advised him to study more and gave him two letters of introduction. As the young man was leaving Sir Frederick handed him an envelope, remarking: "Here is an example of the best kind of drawing. No doubt one of these days you'll be able to do as well, if not better." It contained a check for £50. The recipient is a long way up the ladder now.

Prehistoric Literature In America.

The only evidence that has ever been found going to show that the prehistoric cave dwellers of America had a written language was discovered for the first time in the year 1891. In the summer of that year Professors Shaler and Warren, the former of Yale college, made a thorough exploration of what is known as Falling Spring cave, in the Sequatchie valley, state of Tennessee, and therein found incontrovertible evidence that the prehistoric Americans were a race of civilized beings, possessing a literature and an alphabet. In one of the galleries of the cave they found the body of a human being, transformed to stone by the salts and silica in the dripping water, and near by a large oval slab, upon which were carved 467 words. In all these words, some of which contained nine and ten letters, only 32 different characters were used, proving conclusively that their alphabet was one of 32 letters only.—St. Louis Republic.

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